

Those who are unacquainted with our characters and responsibility,  
we beg leave to refer to

HIS EXCELLENCY, GOVERNOR TOMPKINS<sup>18</sup>

JOHN JUHEL.	}	New-York
FOSTER & GIRAUD.		
FRANCIS BREUIL.	}	Philadelphia
WILLIAM HAMON.		
JOHN CARRERE, <sup>19</sup>		Baltimore

Subjoined are our respective signatures, and should you be disposed to  
favor us with your business, no exertion shall be wanting on our part, to  
give you entire satisfaction.

We remain very respectfully,  
Your most obedient Servants,

SIGNATURE OF PETER LALANNE.

Pr<sup>e</sup> Lalanne & C

SIGNATURE OF ARCHD. MNE. COCK.

Peter Lalanne & C<sup>o</sup>

Addressed: John G. Blount Esquire  
Merch<sup>t</sup>  
Wasshington NC

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*Kimbrow Jones<sup>20</sup> to John Gray Blount*

RALEIGH July 5<sup>th</sup> 1807

Sir With Pleasure I meet the favour of this opportunity in Rendering  
you my Service. & wou<sup>d</sup> be A still Greater Satisfaction if I Cou<sup>d</sup> Rinder

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<sup>18</sup>Daniel D. Tompkins (1774-1825) was governor of New York from 1806 to 1817, when he became vice-president of the United States. He was elected to the Ninth Congress but resigned before the term started so that he could serve as an associate justice of the New York Supreme Court. *Biographical Directory of Congress*, 1823.

<sup>19</sup>John Carrere was a Baltimore resident who in 1810 had a three-story brick house on the east side of Harrison Street. The house was frequently used as a point of reference by the city commissioners. *Records of the City of Baltimore City Commissioners, 1797-1813* (Baltimore: City Library, 1906), 103, 158, hereinafter cited as *Records of Baltimore*.

<sup>20</sup>Kimbrough Jones represented Wake County in the North Carolina House of Commons from 1809 to 1812, and in 1819. In 1854 he became a member of the Council of State. Cheney, *North Carolina Government*, 178, 257, 259, 261, 263, 275.